RESOLUTION NO. 2003-236

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL RESCINDING AWARD OF ELECTRIC UTILITY DISTRIBUTION HARDWARE SUPPLY CONTRACT 2003-05 TO GRAYBAR ELECTRIC, OF SACRAMENTO, FOR CATEGORY 2 (OVERHEAD HARDWARE); AND FURTHER AWARDING CONTRACT TO THE SECOND-LOW BIDDER, SOUTHWEST POWER, OF BENICIA

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2003, the Lodi City Council adopted Resolution 2003-109 awarding contracts to the evaluated low bidder in each of five categories of the Electric Utility Overhead and Underground Distribution Hardware Supply bid, covering the two-year period ending June 30, 2005. Contracts were awarded to the following bidders:

Category 1 (Wood Crossarms)	Western States Electric, Portland, OR	\$ 6,533.96
Category 2 (Overhead Hardware)	Graybar Electric, Sacramento	\$18,323.53
Category 3 (Electrical Tape)	Southwest Power, Benicia	\$ 4,778.50
Category 4 (Underground Hardware)	Southwest Power, Benicia	\$ 2,805.81
Category 5 (Underground Hardware)	Southwest Power, Benicia	\$ <u>6,120.74</u>
	Estimated annual total:	\$38,562.54
	Estimated two-year total:	\$77,125.08

WHEREAS, Graybar Electric, of Sacramento, California, has failed to execute the required contract, and staff believes it has no intention of honoring its bid or signing the contract; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends rescinding the award of the Electric Utility Distribution Hardware Supply Contract 2003-05 to Graybar Electric for Category 2 (Overhead Hardware) and further recommends awarding it to the second-low bidder, Southwest Power, of Benicia, California, for an estimated total amount of \$38,750.36.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby rescind the award of the Electric Utility Distribution Hardware Supply Contract 2003-05 to Graybar Electric for Category 2 (Overhead Hardware), and further awards it to the second-low bidder, Southwest Power, of Benicia, California, for an estimated total amount of \$38,750.36.

Dated: December 17, 2003

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2003-236 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held December 17, 2003, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - Beckman, Hitchcock, Howard, Land, and Mayor

Hansen

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON

City Clerk